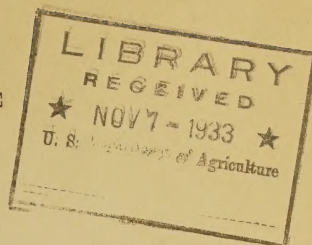


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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
AGRICULTURE ADJUSTMENT ADMINISTRATION

Washington, D. C.



It has come to our attention that a number of conflicting figures has been used showing average production of cotton in the United States and domestic consumption. For your convenience, therefore, the following statement has been prepared.

5-Year cotton acreage, yield, production  
and consumption of cotton in the United  
States, 1928-29 to 1932-33

Crop year	Acreage in culti- vation July 1	Acreage harvested	Yield	Production	Consumption	
					American	All kinds
	1,000 acres	1,000 acres	Pounds lint per acre	500-lb.- gross- weight bales	Running bales	Running bales
1928-29	43,735	42,432	163.3	14,477	6,778,199	7,091,065
1929-30	44,458	43,242	164.1	14,825	5,803,348	6,105,840
1930-31	43,339	42,454	157.0	13,932	5,083,613	5,262,974
1931-32	39,109	38,705	211.5	17,095	4,744,429	4,866,016
1932-33	36,542	35,939	173.3	13,002	6,003,131	6,135,525
5-year average	41,437	40,554	173.8	14,666	5,682,544	5,892,284
1933	40,798	<u>1</u> / 30,036	<u>1</u> /197.8	<u>1</u> /12,414	---	---

Domestic consumption for this 5-year period was approxi-  
mately 40 per cent of domestic production.

1/ Indicated, as of September 1.

Lawrence Myers

September 30, 1933.

